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In re Patent Application of:
Takeshi YAMAKAWA et al.

Application No.: 10/809,340

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Art Unit: 3661

For: CONTROL SYSTEM AND METHOD

Examiner: C. H. Nguyen

REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

In reply to the Restriction Requirement dated August 24, 2006, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes: **Amendments to the claims** which begin at page 2 of this paper; and

Remarks beginning at page of this paper.

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Applicant(s): Takeshi YAMAKAWA et al.					
Invention: CONTROL SYSTEM AND METHOD					
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
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